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From small beginnings, things of easy growth.
To formidable redundancies of mirth.
Clusters of subterranean chuckles rise.
And presently the circles of her eyes close into slits, and all the woman heaves.
As a great elm with all its mounds of leaves
Wallops before the storm. From hidden sources
A mastering of blind volcanic forces
Takes her and shakes her till she sobs and gapes.
Then all that load of bottled mirth escapes.
In one wild caw, a lifting of huge lands.
And creaking stows, and visage that expands
In scarlet ridge and furrow. Thence collapses.
A hanging head, a feeble hand that flaps
An apron-end to stir an end and with a steaming face. And Mrs. Reece has laughed.
("Mrs. Reece Laughs", by Martin Armstrong.)

THE WORLD OF WHEAT

By H. G. L. Strange
Director of The Crop Testing Plan

In 1895 Dr. James W. Robertson, then Commissioner of Agriculture to the Dominion Government, thought that Canadian crops could be improved, and so he donated \$1000 out of his own pocket, to encourage boys to pick out for seed the best heads of wheat and oats from the crops growing on their fathers' farms. The plan was a great success. The boys, and later on their fathers, then became part of a permanent organization.
From this humble beginning sprang the Canadian Seed Growers' Association, and afterwards, too, the Dominion Seed Branch; and the experience gained had much to do with those grain standards later set up for the Canada Grain Act.

In Canada today the expert plant breeders who make new varieties, the Canadian Seed Growers' Association, the Seeds Act, and the Canada Grain Act, all form a remarkable combination, which creates, maintains, certifies and guarantees to the buyers of the world the high quality of Canada's wheat and other grains.

Such a valuable combination does not exist in any other country; and it all sprang from the idea of the late Dr. Robertson, and from the small sum of \$1000 which he donated in 1895 for the advancement of Canadian agriculture.

GRAIN ELEVATOR MEN
Alberta Country Elevator Operators' Association will hold its first annual meeting March 10-11 in Calgary at the Labor Temple, according to J. E. McIntyre, provincial secretary.

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A Farmer's Musings

(Tim Longbottom)

HERE AND THERE—

According to a report in a western daily, the students of an American University all fail for a girl who is well endowed with wit and charm.
Our comment is that, when the college boys reach our age, they will transfer their admiration to a lady whose genius permits her to extract wealth from a limited income.
Believe it or not, men, making wise cracks about spaghetti in Italy can lead to serious consequences.

In order to maintain the dignity of this favorite national dish, Missoula has passed a law which forbids anyone from poking fun at it.

Prairie farmers who are thinking of renting a villa over there "next year" should bear this in mind, if they don't want to get landed in the coop.

They should also refrain from mentioning the fact that the present day fascist salute was used exclusively by slaves during ancient Rome's proudest days.

A MONSOON—

If a monsoon is a continuous blast of hot air, as a Hollywood artist recently declared one of these things must have destroyed Lincoln's White House at the beginning of the session.

Reference is made to the famous debate on the Bren gun contract, which raged for nearly a week before the M. P.'s decided to discuss something else.

The contract had already been the cause of an investigation and since no evidence of wrong doing had been given on the long drawn out argument about the appearance of a cheap melo-drama.

The accusation of the conservatives that patronage affected the awarding of the contract may have had some truth in it; but who has played the game of patronage as well as the conservatives themselves.

They have given their friends every thing from high tariffs to wide timber limits, and they are now peevish at the thought that others have the power to follow their example if they desire to do so.

Is a funny old world, isn't it?

CANBURY—

The fierce fighting between Hindu and Moslem in the city of Canbure recalled the massacre which occurred in that place during the stormy days of the Indian mutiny. After being assured of safety by the leader of the attacking force the small garrison surrendered, but when the men delivered up their arms they, with their wives and children were brutally murdered.

The mutilated bodies were thrown into the deep city well, and when the British recaptured the town they wisely left the remains undisturbed.

A railed in monument, now stands over the place, and it is very night and day by white soldiers who see that no dark skinned men pass through the gate.

CHANGED CONDITIONS—

The situation in the far East is now causing many Australians to sigh for the better preparedness of other days. At the outbreak of the world war Australia had a modified form of compulsory training, and she had no difficulty in mustering a large body of men who knew something about the art of war.

The navy was also much stronger than it is today. This consisted of a modern battle cruiser, a number of small but useful ships and three light cruisers. It was one of the best naval class the Sydney, that ended the career of the famous raider Emden.

The Australian ship engaged her off Coco Island and after a running fight of about 3 hours duration sent the Emden onto the rocky shore in a ruined condition. Only a few members of the Emden's crew lived to tell the story of the battle and these were rescued from the burning vessel under trying conditions.
Captain Muecke of the Emden was ashore destroying the wireless station when the Sydney made its dramatic appearance, and he and the rest of the small landing party escaped from the island by commandeering an old sailing vessel.

OLIVE—WINNERS IN ALBERTA DRAMA

Olive Dramatic Club, two farmers, a housewife and a student will represent Alberta at the Dominion Dramatic Festival in London, Ontario in April.
The club presented The Bear, by Chekov. Other competitors at Edmonton were University of Alberta, Banff, Inuit, Medicine Hat, Red Deer and Le Cercle Mollere of Edmonton.

Ardenode

Mr. Cliff Lawson is spending a short holiday in the East.

Mrs. A. M. Watson and daughter Marian, is spending a few days with friends in Donalda.

Mr. Wm. Seeley returned home Thursday evening from Calgary, and is feeling fine.

Mr. M. Veall also Mr. D. McEair of Calgary spent Sunday with Mr. H. G. Smith at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Cervak of Drumheller spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. F. Fawcett.

We are sorry to hear of Mr. John Davis having to go to hospital. We hope for a very speedy recovery for him. Mrs. Davis will spend a few days with friends in Calgary.

It was a great shock to the community to learn of the sudden death of Mrs. Sidney G. Watson on Monday. Our deepest sympathy is extended to Mr. S. G. Watson in his very sad bereavement. The funeral was held Thursday, March 2nd at 2 p.m. from St. Michael's Church, Rev. G. W. Lang officiating. Interment was made in Strathmore cemetery.

Namaka

The annual school meeting was held on Monday of last week with an attendance of 11 ratepayers. Mr. Wm. Fawcett acted as chairman. After the usual business, Mr. Groves, retiring trustee was re-elected.

The card party held on Wednesday was well patronized. Nine tables were in play. The winners of high score in bridge were Mrs. Miller and Mr. Colpo; in whist Mrs. H. Thomson and Mr. Andy Thomson. Mrs. H. Brown carried off the ladies grand prize in whist and Mr. H. Colpo the gentlemen grand prize in bridge.

The next card party is scheduled for Wednesday, March 8th. An added attraction will be the sale of three elaborate hand made cushions donated by three of our ladies, as a means of helping finance the club.

The Ladies Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. Loy Wheeler on Thursday, March 9th.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Thomson have returned to their home after a three month visit in the States.

Mrs. Smiten arrived home Sunday after a month's visit at the home of her daughter Mrs. Foss of Standard.

Miss Ruth Aitken is holidaying with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Watts of Champlain spent the week end at the home

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 The face we keep in memory.
 Some day her hands will clasp our
 hand
 Just over in the Morning Land,
 Ever remembered by her father,
 mother, brothers, grandparents and
 aunt and uncle.



Church Notes

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA
 Rev. V. M. Gilbert, B.A., B.D. Minister
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 Miss Edith Hilde—
 Choir Leader and Pianist.
 Sunday, March 5th, 1939.
 STRATHMORE—
 10 a.m. Worship.
 and Junior Congregation.
 Subject—"To Become a Christian"
 11 a.m. Church School.
 7:30 p.m. Worship.
 Subject—"Religion and Morality".
 The Wednesday evening meeting
 will be held in St. Michael's and the
 Rev. J. Rex Brown will be the guest
 speaker.

ST. MICHAEL'S AND ALL ANGELS
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 Incumbent—
 Rev. Geo. W. Lang, B. A. L.D.
 Sunday, March 5th, 1939.
 Second Sunday in Lent
 8 a.m.—Celebration of the Holy
 Communion.
 9:30 a.m.—Sunday School.
 Please note the change of hour
 from 2 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.
 11 a.m.—No service in Strathmore.
 12 noon—Caresland—Holy Com-
 munion and Sermon.
 7:30 p.m.—Evening and Sermon.
 The Second in the Lenten Series on
 the Book of Common Prayer.

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 Sunday, March 5th, 1939.
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 time it was decided to hold a Bazaar
 Sale on the afternoon of Saturday,
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Notice is hereby given that A. T.
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 plication to the Minister of Public
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 following road allowance or surveyed
 highway, viz. Road Allowance North
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 used as a road on account of 2 big
 coulees. I want it for a lease to drive
 stock to and from 2 pastures.
 Any protest against the granting of
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 Dated January 20th, 1939.
 A. T. BESTUL, Applicant.

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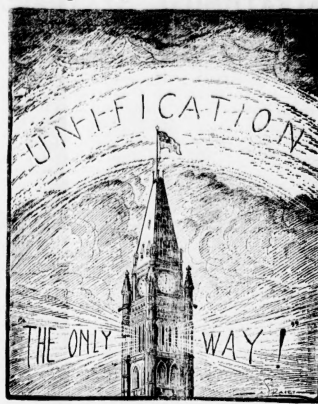
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